

Serial No.: 10/008,281

**REMARKS**

***I. REJECTION OF CLAIMS UNDER 35 USC § 102***

Claims 1 and 10 stand rejected under 35 USC 102(b) based on being anticipated by US Patent 5,550,907 to Carlsen. Claims 1-22 stand rejected under 35 USC 102(e) based on being anticipated by US Published application 2003/0023691 to Knauerhase.


Pursuant to the interview with Examiner Hoosain on November 29, 2005, the applicant has limited the scope of each apparatus claim to a subscriber multi-media communication management system and limited the scope of each method claim to a method for operating a subscriber multi-media communication management system. More specifically:

Accordingly, claims 1 - 22 are believed to be allowable and the application is believed to be in condition for allowance. A prompt action to such end is earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner feel that a telephone interview would be helpful to facilitate favorable prosecution of the above-identified application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Should a petition for an extension of time be necessary for the timely reply to the outstanding Office Action (or if such a petition has been made and an additional extension is necessary), petition is hereby made and the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees (including additional claim fees) to Deposit Account No. 501825.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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